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THOMAS M. GREEN, EDITOR.

WEDNESDAY, ::::::: SEPTEMBER 8, 1858.

There is peace and quiet now in Kansas Territory. It is a prelude of good to the best interests of the Territory.—*Lou. Courier*.

As long as the "law and order" party were dominant in Kansas we heard of nothing but murder, arson, robbery, and every description of crime; but now that the "friends of law and order" have been routed, horse foot, and dragoons, and many of them ignominiously driven from the Territory by the curses, deep and loud, and heart felt execrations of the great majority of the people, and the "enemies of law and order" are triumphant, we are told that peace and quiet is in Kansas, and that it is a prelude of good to the best interests of the Territory. Perhaps if this result had been accomplished years ago, there would always have been peace and quiet in Kansas. But it is not very conducive to law and order that the Federal bayonets should be used to assist 1,500 miserable squatters and the Cincinnati Directory in keeping in submission 10,000 American freemen. Our Revolutionary fathers resisted such "law and order men."

While the Democratic papers of Kentucky are denouncing *Thos. Corwin* as a vile Abolitionist and endeavoring to impugn his proclivities to those Southern Americans who have commended his position as eminently conservative, the Democrats of Ohio are ridiculing the Republicans of Corwin's District because they have nominated a man who repudiates the ultra Republican doctrine. The Columbus *Statesman*, the central Administration organ, says that Corwin is as good a Democrat on the slavery question as Mr. Buchanan himself. If Corwin is elected, as he most assuredly will be, the Democrats will not improbably claim it as a triumph of Democratic principles. So we go.

The *Dolphin*—Rev. Eleazer Williams died at Bombay, Franklin county, New York, on the 28th inst., after a protracted illness. His disease was complex, but the chief was dropsy. He was indecisive circumstances.

Considerable excitement has been aroused in the village of Newark, N. Y., by the conduct of two men named Martin and Rew, who, being convicted of Judaism, by a traveling fanatic named Bishop, circumcised their sons, aged respectively eight and twelve years, in a very barbarous manner. The indignant citizens had the parts put under bonds for good behavior.

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An Interesting Relic.—Persons curious to elic

it at the store of Allen Cuthbert, Eighth

avenue Chestnut, the Balance wheel of John Finch's

Model Engine for the First Philadelphia steamboat, 1786, twenty-one years before Fulton's

New York boat in 1787.—*Phil. Bulletin*.

A Slave STAMPEDE—The Annapolis (Mary-

land) Republicans say: Ten valuable slaves be-

longing to Col. G. W. Hughes, of West River, in

this county, left his farm in a body on Tuesday

morning last. At Queen Ann's about ten miles

from Col. Hughes', two of whom who were there

to get something to eat, were captured by Mr

Thomas E. Alvey and Mr. Richard H. Harwood

The rest of the negroes who were a short distance

off, waiting their return, suspecting from their

long absence that they had been arrested, started

in pursuit and coming upon them, at once with a bold rush, released their two com-

rades. A desperate fight occurred and two of

the negro men were, we learn, dangerously

wounded, and left upon the field of battle. This

seemed to frighten and deter the negroes, be-

cause they as speedily as possible returned home

to their master. The two wounded were sent for

and properly cared for.

BOURBON COUNTY FAIR.—Bourbon is not less no-

ted for its beautiful women, its refined society,

its wealth, and its productive soil, than for its

spendid stock. The Bourbon Fair commenced

yesterday, and continues for four days. The or-

der of the exhibition is as follows:

First Day—Cattle, Sheep and Hogs.

Second Day—Horses for harness and Mules.

Third Day—Goldings, Matched Horses, &c.,

and Jacks and Jentons.

Fourth Day—Horses for saddle, and Draft

Horses.

NATIONAL POLITICS.—The Boston "Courier," a

true Conservative journal, Whig in its politics, and strongly opposed to the "Republicans," and

Abolitionists of the North, refers to the course

taken toward it by certain Democratic papers in

Massachusetts, and says that they "cannot bear

that a Whig, who ever manfully resists the com-

mon danger, Republicanism, should be counted

a patriot at all, unless he fights strictly under the

Democratic banner or in the Democratic ranks.

The thing is nothing unless he bears the name

also. No matter if he saves the ship, if found

afterwards that the pilot was not up to the true

Democratic standard, it all goes for nothing."

C. B. GETZ'S CLOTHING STORE.—From an ad-

vertisement in another column it will be seen

that Getz is receiving his fall and winter stock

of clothing, furnishing goods, &c. We think we

can safely recommend him to our friends as a

clever reliable man of business, and would there

for say to all who need articles in his line to

call on Charley Getz and examine his stock be-

fore you purchase elsewhere, as he will sell you

good articles on fair terms.

JUDGE BREESE.—The Belleville (Ill.) Demo-

crat is authorized to say, that Judge Breeze is

not, and will not be, a candidate for the United

States Senate, in opposition to Judge Douglas,

and that has been said in reference to his stamp-

ing the State against the Democratic party, is

without any foundation whatever.

Mr. Case, the Republican candidate for Con-

gress against Mr. Cox, in the Columbus District,

of Ohio, wrote a letter in June, 1856, in which

he accepted the invitation of the Democracy of

Knox county to address their Buchanan ratifica-

tion meeting. He said no better Presidential

nomination could have been made; "he adopted

them, and with them the platform."

The Post office Department has ordered an

additional weekly trip of the mail boats between

Vicksburg and Napoleon. This secures a daily

mail from Cairo to New Orleans, running on al-

ternate days with service already under con-

tract.

BANK OF AMERICA.—The Nashville *Gazette* of

Sunday says:

The notes of this bank were thrown out by all

our bankers yesterday. The issues are looked

upon as worthless by most of our business men,

although a number of the opinion that the

owners will be able to redeem every dollar of

the circulation.

FORTY-EIGHT SLAVES EMANCIPATED.—A num-

ber of negroes, late the property of Mrs. Hester

Blanchard, of Fayette county, Ky., and emanci-

pated by her will, were in the Cincinnati Pro-

Court on Friday, upon the occasion of the

instrument by which they were manumitted be-

ing admitted to record. They were in all forty-

nine in number.

Col. Whiteley, lately connected with the

Louisville Journal, is about to assume the editor-

ship of the Baltimore *Clipper*.

Items

From the Detroit Advertiser, Sept. 3d.
The Administration Signally Rebuked by the Democracy of Michigan.

The great battle for supremacy in Michigan came off in this city yesterday, between the National Administration arms of office holders on the one side, and the Douglas Democracy on the other. The result has been a most disgraceful and ignominious defeat of the Administration, and a terrible rebuke to Buchanan and Cass. Henceforth they must be ranked amongst the things that were. The Administration is *nowhere* in Michigan. The whole party, with the exception of a few insignificant Post-masters, was in the convention, and was shamefully beaten on an issue that sent out half-sent orders from Washington to be raised. That issue was the question of Chas. E. Stuart's nomination, a man more cordially hated by the Administration than the more inveterate Republican in the Union.

It is only just to the office holders to state that they made a far more gallant and formidable fight than we supposed them capable. The day before the Convention, they had become quite disheartened, and about resolved to abandon the contest in despair. But our hint to them of the personal consequences of so cowardly a surrender, had the effect to galvanize them into life. The U. S. Marshall, Postmaster, and Collector, were brought at once to a sense of their duty and their danger; and by the most stupendous labors, and the promise of a place to every recruit, they were enabled to muster a respectable force, and to make a formidable show of strength.

But it all would not do. They had too great odds to contend against. Besides they had bad generals and too many of them, while the Stuart troops were commanded by one of the shrewdest, boldest, most daring, and most sleepless old campaigners in the State. The Postmaster and Collector were no match for such a tactician as John H. Harmon. He assailed them in the front and in the rear, turned their right and their left wings all at the same time, and threw them into inexplicable confusion at the very commencement of the engagement. The victory was complete and overwhelming, and proves how superior his generalship was to that of the office holders.

Like a good general, he determined to improve the time. In anticipation of it he had his guns all ready to give the discomfited enemy broadside as they were retreating from the field of their disgrace. No sooner had the nomination been announced, than the loud mouth cannon began to proclaim in tones of thunder, the great victory. Though this was adding in suit to injury, it was but natural that Mr. Harmon and their friends should thus exult over their great triumph, and the mortifying and humiliating defeat of the Administration and the Free Press.

Of course the office holders, what little there is left of them, will support Mr. Stuart, because it will not be their policy to show contempt where they are in numbers by opposing him. It would do them no good if they did, and so they will swallow the pill, bitter as it is. This is the part of wisdom as well as duty.

In another article, the Advertiser remarks:

The cruellest opponent of Gen. Cass must feel some degree of commiseration for the poor old man, in view of the humiliation which the nomination of Stuart inflicts upon him. He has undoubtedly become somewhat hardened to the buffets of his enemies, but this fire in the rear from the States which he so long carried in his breeches pocket, is a culmination to his disgrace which even Stuart's inevitable defeat can not obliterate. And the keenest point of the sting is that this was the very object, together with the indignity it offers to Buchanan, which was sought to be accomplished in Stuart's nomination.

In another article, the Advertiser remarks:

Col. Rector has been instructed by the Secretary of the Interior to proceed to Florida, and, as soon as the season will permit, to take measures for the removal of the Seminoles who are now in the everglades. The Secretary is desirous that this should be done under the superintendence of Col. Rector alone, without the intercession of the authorities or citizens of Florida. White flags will be distributed through the swamps for the purpose of calling them to a council. No military force will be employed. The Indians will be removed to Arkansas, while Billy Bowlegs and his band were transferred, should the negotiations be successful in the case of the disputed title to the Rancho de los Americans in California. The Secretary of the Interior has rejected the survey of the Surveyor General of that State, and ordered a new one to be made.

Col. Rector is to proceed to Florida on Saturday next, and continue his tour through the interior of the State, and return to Frankfort on Monday next.

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Proclamation by the Governor.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, Executive Department.

WHEREAS additional extraordinary circumstances have been officially communicated to me in relation to the matters committed to the county of Rockcastle, N. A., by JAMES ARCHIBALD HEALEY, and JAMES HEALEY.

Now, therefore, I, CHARLES S. MOREHEAD, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby offer a reward of One Thousand and Fifty Dollars to the sum of Five Hundred Dollars each, for the apprehension of said A. Healey, James Healey, and Noah Wiggins, and their delivery, or the delivery of either of them, to the jailer of Pendleton county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be hereunto affixed, this 17th day of Aug., A. D. 1858, and in the 67th year of the Commonwealth.

By the Governor:

MASON BROWN, Secretary of State.

By T. P. A. BISH, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTIONS.

Archibald Healey is about 40 to 47 years of age; has a high forehead; hair gray; eyes brown; nose large; mouth wide; teeth good; 5 feet 6 inches high; skin very black; hair, wavy; about 180 or 190 pounds; rather stooping; bends over considerably at the knees; rather slow in his movements; his voice is rather feminine for a man of his appearance.

James Healey is 16 or 18 years of age; about 5 feet 5 inches high; rather dark complexion; dark heavy eye brows; long straight black hair; stout and heavy built; weighs about 140 or 150 pounds; nose large; mouth wide; teeth good; eyes brown; and rather thick lips; and large flat nose.

Noah Wiggins is 25 or 26 years of age; 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high; wavy hair about 170 or 180 pounds; nose keen, and his nose turned out considerable when walking; sandy hair and beard; rather ruddy complexion; mouth wide; nose good, which is rather broad; brown eyes; and rather thick lips; and large flat nose.

Archibald and James Healey are sons of William Healey, who has lived near Richmond, Ky., for some time, and has been a wagon driver to Lexington and the mountain counties, trading in goods, &c.

Aug. 23, 1858.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$300 REWARD.

WHEREAS it has been made known to me that THO. ROBERTSON, did, on the 2nd day of April, 1857, in the county of Pendleton, kill and murder James Blackburn, and has since fled from justice.

Now, therefore, I, C. S. MOREHEAD, Governor of the Commonwealth, by virtue of the powers committed to me by law, do hereby offer a reward of Three Hundred Dollars for the apprehension of said Robert, and his delivery to the jailer of Pendleton county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be hereunto affixed, at Frankfort, this 17th day of June, A. D. 1858, and in the 67th year of the Commonwealth.

By the Governor:

C. S. MOREHEAD, Governor.

MASON BROWN, Secretary of State.

By T. P. A. BISH, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

Said Robert is about 25 or 26 years old; about 5 feet 8 inches high; slender made; weighs about 140 pounds; wavy hair; nose; two or three small scars about his face; probably in his chin and cheeks; a farmer by occupation; is a married man, and it is believed his wife is now with him.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$300 REWARD.

WHEREAS it has been made known to me that THO. HIRAM BIRD, did, on the 20th August, 1853, in the county of Lyon, kill and murder ROBERT BIRD, and has since fled from justice.

Now, therefore, I, CHARLES S. MOREHEAD, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of Two Hundred Dollars for the apprehension of said Hiram Bird, and his delivery to the jailer of Lyon county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be hereunto affixed, at Frankfort, this 17th day of August, A. D. 1858, and in the 67th year of the Commonwealth.

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By T. P. A. BISH, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

Said Bird is about 5 feet 8 inches high; weighs about 140 pounds; rather slender "bon'"; somewhat stoop-shouldered; about 20 years old; thin visage; looks down when speaks; dark eyes; rather dark complexion generally, with black matted curly hair; growing unusually long in the center of his forehead; had, when he left, a large hairy flatlock ridge gun.

Sep. 1, 1858—2m.

Proclamation by the Governor.

\$200 REWARD.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, Executive Department.

WHEREAS it has been made known to me that ANDREW H. GLASGOW did, on the 23rd day of August, 1853, in the county of Logan, and has since fled from justice.

Now, therefore, I, CHARLES S. MOREHEAD, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of Two Hundred Dollars for the apprehension of said Andrew Glasgow, and his delivery to the jailer of Logan county, within one year from the date hereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be hereunto affixed, at Frankfort, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1858, and in the sixtieth year of the Commonwealth.

By the Governor:

C. S. MOREHEAD, Governor.

MASON BROWN, Secretary of State.

By T. P. A. BISH, Assistant Secretary.

DESCRIPTION.

Said Glasgow is six foot high; dark complexion; brown hair; high cheek bones; small grey eyes; thin visage; looks down when speaks; talks long and slow; and slanders much in speaking; has a prominent jaw; upper teeth protruding so as to reach to the point of the nose; and it requires an effort to get his lips together; he is spare; about 25 years of age, and weighs about 150 pounds.

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Now, therefore, I, CHARLES S. MOREHEAD, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby offer a reward of Two Hundred Dollars for the apprehension of said Andrew Glasgow, and his delivery to the jailer of Logan county, within one year from the date hereof.

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